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RE: INVITATION TO BIG-4 CONFERENCE, BERLIN,
4 JANUARY

Ulbricht, 10 December, looks forward to this
meeting in early January, but warns that the
meeting will not succeed if the West insists
on impossible pre-conditions: Free elections
for Germany.

Ulbricht has been used twice before to give
advance notice of Soviet reaction and replies
to Western approaches.

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